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Hearing Aid Compatibility Status Report (FCC Form 655)

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General Report Information

Type of Company

Service Provider

De Minimis Exception

Did you offer any handsets to subscribers in the United States during the reporting period? Yes

Have you been offering handsets in the United States for at least three years prior to the end of the reporting period? Yes

Date that you began offering handsets in the United States

Are you a small entity? No

Were you a small entity at any time during the three years prior to the end of the reporting period? No

Date that you ceased to be a small entity?

Company Information

Company Name: Choice Communications, LLC

Brand Names: Choice Wireless
Choice

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Filing Agent

Is this report being filed by an agent on behalf of a manufacturer or service provider? No

Product Labeling

Do all hearing aid-compatible handsets include labeling? Yes

Explain:

Do all hearing aid-compatible handsets that are capable of voice communication over any air interface or frequency band that does not have hearing aid compatibility technical standards under ANSI C63.19-2007 include the required language disclosing that the handset has not been rated for hearing aid compatibility with respect to such operations? Yes

Explain:

Do all hearing aid-compatible handsets that the manufacturer also tested and found not to meet hearing aid compatibility requirements under ANSI C63.19-2011 for one or more operations that are not covered under ANSI C63.19-2007, include language informing users by clear and effective means that the handset does not meet the relevant rating or ratings with respect to such operation(s)?

N/A

Explain:

Do all handsets that are capable of use for Voice over LTE, and that were certified for inductive coupling capability under ANSI C63.19-2011 without being tested for inductive coupling capability over VoLTE, include language disclosing that they were not tested with respect to this operation?

N/A

Explain:

Do all handsets that meet the criteria for an M3 rating by allowing the user to reduce the maximum power for GSM operation in the 1900 MHz band include the required disclosure?

Explain:

Public Website

Does your company maintain a public website describing all hearing aid-compatible models, the ratings of those models, and an explanation of the rating system? Yes

Website address: <http://vi.choice-wireless.com/hearing-aid-compatibility>

Explain:

Consumer Outreach

Describe consumer outreach efforts in the past 12 months: Choice Wireless' compliant handset devices are publicly available on the company website. Information on the company website includes a listing of each handset device and its corresponding M/T Rating and functionality level. A description of the ANSI standard (M/T Rating) is also included.

Sales and Call Center Employees at Choice Wireless are familiarized with HAC/Accessibility requirements and ratings regularly so that such personnel are able to provide accurate information and assist customers in an informed manner. A mandatory computer based training program is conducted annually. Employees are also provided access to HAC/Accessibility information and requirements on the company intranet to ensure Choice employees are able to respond to customers promptly and accurately.

All handset placards in retail stores clearly identify the M/T Ratings for each device. Customers are provided a 15-day trial period during which a customer may try out the handset device and determine whether the device works properly with the customer's hearing aid.

Methodology for Functionality Levels

Functionality level describes the general capabilities of a device.

Tier 1 devices offer basic features and are capable of basic data speeds.

Tier 2 devices offer advanced features and are capable of faster data speeds.

Tier 3 devices offer the most advanced computer like features/applications and are capable of the fastest data speeds.

Report Remarks

You have reported the following handset model summary information.

Total number of handsets offered: 25

Air Interface	Fully Hearing Aid Compatible		Acoustic Coupling Compatible Only		Non-Compliant Handsets		Total by Air Interface
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
CDMA	23	92%	2	8%			25

Handset 1: Alcatel One Touch Ultra 960C

Handset Maker

Alcatel

Handset Model Name FCC ID

One Touch Ultra 960C RAD278

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 08/13 to 12/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T3

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 3

Remarks

Handset 2: Apple iPhone4

Handset Maker

Apple

Handset Model Name FCC ID

iPhone4 BCG-E2422A

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 02/13 to 12/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T4

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 3

Remarks

8GB, 16GB

Handset 3: HTC Desire 601

Handset Maker

HTC

Handset Model Name

Desire 601

FCC ID

NM80P4E100

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 03/14 to 12/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M3

T-Rating: T4

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 3

Remarks

Handset 4: HTC Desire C

Handset Maker

HTC

Handset Model Name

Desire C

FCC ID

NM8PL01210

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 04/13 to 12/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T4

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 3

Remarks

Handset 5: HTC One V

Handset Maker

HTC

Handset Model Name

One V

FCC ID

NM8PK76300

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 04/13 to 12/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T4

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 3

Remarks

Handset 6: HTC Wildfire

Handset Maker

HTC

Handset Model Name

Wildfire

FCC ID

NM8PD06100

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 04/11 to 02/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T4

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 1

Remarks

Handset 7: Huawei Ascend M866

Handset Maker

Huawei

Handset Model Name

Ascend M866

FCC ID

QISM866

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 10/14 to 12/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T3

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 1

Remarks

Handset 8: LG AS680 Optimus 2

Handset Maker

LG

Handset Model Name

AS680 Optimus 2

FCC ID

ZNFAS680

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 01/12 to 12/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T3

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 1

Remarks

Handset 9: LG Optimus Plus AS695**Handset Maker**

LG

Handset Model Name**FCC ID**

Optimus Plus AS695

ZNFAS695

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 12/12 to 12/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T3

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 1

Remarks

Handset 10: LG Optimus Select

Handset Maker

LG

Handset Model Name

Optimus Select

FCC ID

ZNFAS730

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 11/13 to 12/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T4

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 3

Remarks

Handset 11: LG Optimus Slider

Handset Maker

LG

Handset Model Name

Optimus Slider

FCC ID

BEJVS700

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 10/13 to 12/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T4

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 2

Remarks

Handset 12: LG VX8575

Handset Maker

LG

Handset Model Name

VX8575

FCC ID

BEJVX8575

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 09/12 to 12/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T4

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 3

Remarks

Handset 13: Motorola A854 Milestone

Handset Maker

Motorola

Handset Model Name

A854 Milestone

FCC ID

IHDP56KC1

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 03/12 to 12/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M3

T-Rating: T3

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 3

Remarks

Handset 14: Motorola W845 Quantico

Handset Maker

Motorola

Handset Model Name

W845 Quantico

FCC ID

IHDT56KS1

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 05/12 to 12/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T3

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 1

Remarks

Handset 15: Samsung Chrono R261

Handset Maker

Samsung

Handset Model Name

FCC ID

Chrono R261

A3LSCHR261

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 01/14 to 12/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T4

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 2

Remarks

Handset 16: Samsung Galaxy S 2

Handset Maker

Samsung

Handset Model Name

Galaxy S 2

FCC ID

A3LSCHR760

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 10/12 to 12/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T3

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 3

Remarks

Handset 17: Samsung Galaxy S 3

Handset Maker

Samsung

Handset Model Name

Galaxy S 3

FCC ID

A3LSCHR530

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 01/14 to 12/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T4

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 3

Remarks

Handset 18: Samsung Galaxy S5

Handset Maker

Samsung

Handset Model Name

FCC ID

Galaxy S5

A3LSMG900R7

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 08/14 to 12/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T4

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 3

Remarks

Handset 19: Samsung Gusto

Handset Maker

Samsung

Handset Model Name

Gusto

FCC ID

A3LSCHU365

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 12/12 to 12/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T4

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 3

Remarks

Handset 20: Samsung i500 Galaxy Showcase

Handset Maker

Samsung

Handset Model Name

i500 Galaxy Showcase

FCC ID

A3LSCHI500

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 11/11 to 12/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating:

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 1

Remarks

Handset 21: Samsung R390 Freeform 4

Handset Maker

Samsung

Handset Model Name

FCC ID

R390 Freeform 4

A3LSCHR390

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 12/12 to 12/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T4

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 3

Remarks

Handset 22: Samsung R680 Repp

Handset Maker

Samsung

Handset Model Name

R680 Repp

FCC ID

A3LSCHR680

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 05/13 to 12/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating:

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 2

Remarks

Handset 23: Unimax MXC-570

Handset Maker

Unimax

Handset Model Name

MXC-570

FCC ID

U46-M570

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 07/14 to 12/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M3

T-Rating: T3

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 1

Remarks

Handset 24: Unimax MXC628

Handset Maker

Unimax

Handset Model Name

MXC628

FCC ID

U46-C5620

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 10/14 to 12/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M3

T-Rating: T3

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 1

Remarks

Handset 25: ZTE X500

Handset Maker

ZTE

Handset Model Name

X500

FCC ID

Q78-X500

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA
1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 11/12 to 12/14

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T3

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Tier 1

Remarks

Certification

This Report has been certified by:

Rohan Ranaraja Director Regulatory Compliance
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